CALNET II RFP DGS-2053

Question and Answer Set #33

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266. Reference 6.2.1.2.a: International Toll Free Service Dedicated Access & International Toll Free Service Switched Access. In a similar question answered on Answer Set 30, question 233, we were directed to read Section 1.4.3. We could see where our concern was addressed. For other services International Service is delineated by country. All carriers provide International Toll Free pricing by country and the pricing can be dramatically different.

It would be a more accurate evaluation if the State used the same countries they used in Section 7, 6.2.3 to evaluate the pricing. The countries are:

Brazil
China
France
Germany
Israel
Italy
Japan
Mexico
South Korea
Spain
Switzerland
United Kingdom

This requirement will be modified in Addendum 39. This requirement is now listed as a desirable.

267. In Addendum 29, Variable Length Preamble (0-30 Seconds) was added. When a Recurring cost/item per unit is entered the spreadsheet does not calculate the Model Recurring Monthly Costs.

Related to this problem, how should bidders bring other spreadsheet calculation problems to the State's attention after the last day to submit questions?

This problem was corrected in Addendum 38. Bidders should bring any other spreadsheet calculation problems encountered after June 21st to the attention of the Procurement Officer for this RFP.

268. As a point of clarification, since the columns in the Section 7 pricing spreadsheets for the Bidder Identifier and Price have a non-expandable width because of the write protection, can it be assumed that the State will expand all columns to ensure that all data entered by the bidder can be read?

This problem was corrected in Addendum 38.